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MAYOR'S DESK:
Mayor Brent K. Marshall
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Residents are receiving a water insurance form in the mail that is in no way affiliated with Grantsville City. In the event of a waterline leak you are only responsible for the waterline from your meter to your house. The average cost would be much less than the amount they are suggesting. We do not require you to have insurance on that line.

Grantsville High School Graduation will be conducted on Wednesday, May 20th at Grantsville High School. We want to extend a big “**Congratulations**” to the Class of 2015 and wish them the best of luck in their future endeavors.

The Prison Relocation Committee will be holding its public information open house meeting on May 28th at Grantsville High School. There will be booths in the Commons Area with information regarding the prison from 4:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. From 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m., there will be a question and answer period in the auditorium with the consultants and staff working for the PRC. This is your chance as citizens of Grantsville to get your questions and concerns answered. There will be a rally across the street at the Cherry Street Park for anyone who is opposed to the prison being located in our community. It will begin at 5:00 p.m. and will be finished in time to attend the session in the auditorium. For any questions about the rally please contact Jewel Allen at (435) 841-9145.

The “Rider’s License” is a great option for kids/teenagers to have a way to get around all summer long without having to ask Mom and Dad to drive them everywhere! The \$75 promotional price per pass is available to purchase from May 1st to May 31st at www.rideuta.com/buyapass. Beginning June 1st the cost of the pass goes up to \$99. The “Rider’s License” is valid fare for unlimited use on FrontRunner, TRAX and buses from June 1-August 31, 2015.

Miller Motorsports Park is celebrating the start of the new racing season with a free-for-everyone Season Opener on Saturday, May 16th. There will be races for sports cars, superbikes and off-road trucks and buggies, plus fun activities for the kids, free hot dogs and drinks, free ATV rides, discounted karting and prize giveaways throughout the day. Visit www.MillerMotorsportsPark.com for more info!

The Grantsville 4th of July Committee is looking for talent acts to perform at the Cherry Street Park. We will have sound equipment available for use. Please call Maria at (435) 884-0715 to sign up. Half an hour time slots are available from 12:30-4:30 p.m. Come join the fun!

The Memorial Day Program will be held May 25th at 8:00 a.m. located in the center of the City Cemetery.

If you have any suggestions to make our community a better place, please feel free to contact me at City Hall (435) 884-3411. My door is always open.

Due to our shortage of precipitation, please do your best to conserve water as much as possible! If it rains make sure you delay your sprinklers. You can eliminate problems with evaporation by watering at dusk or dawn. We want to remind everyone of the seriousness of cross connections in our water lines. A cross connection is any connection between your City water and non-potable (irrigation) water or any other source or substance. These other sources include private wells. City and State regulations prohibit these actions. Serious health risks are associated with cross connections. You may also be charged for the cost of cleanup and repairs to the culinary water system. Your garden hose is the most common cross connection found at residences. Anything from the hose end pesticide applicators to sticking the end of the hose in a drain to unplug it has been implicated with some very serious effects. Please do not allow anyone to make any cross connections to your property's plumbing. This includes any connections between the irrigation and culinary water systems. If you have questions, please call Grantsville City at (435) 884-3411.

Congratulations to the Grantsville High School Girls' Softball team on taking Region! Great job!

Youth Groups wishing to help with the 4th of July activities, contact Misti Boulard at Grantsville City Hall at (435) 884-3411. The City is looking for youth groups to help with the carnival activities. These groups will be monetarily rewarded.

According to Grantsville City's OHV Ordinance: Any person operating an OHV is subject to the following provisions: **(1)** Unless otherwise provided for herein, **no person under 12 years of age will be allowed to operate an OHV on a Grantsville City road, street or highway designated for OHV use.** **(2)** No person between the ages of 12 and 16 may operate and no owner may give permission to a person between the ages of 12 and 16 to operate an OHV on the designated roads, streets and highways of Grantsville City unless such person is accompanied on another OHV and under the direct visual supervision of an adult 18 years of age or older holding a valid driver's license. OHV operators between the ages of 12 and 16 must possess an OHV education certificate as issued by the Utah Division of Parks and Recreation. **(3)** All operators 16 years of age and older must possess either a valid operator's license or an OHV education certificate as issued by the Utah Division of Parks and Recreation. **(4)** All riders under the age of 18 may not operate or ride an all terrain type I vehicle on the system unless the person is wearing a properly-fitted USDOT approved protective headgear designated for motorized use. **(5)** All users of roads, streets, and highways designated for use by OHV's must obey all traffic and other safety laws and rules. **(6)** All users of the Grantsville City designated off-highway roads, streets and highways may not operate a vehicle at a speed greater than is reasonable and prudent under the existing conditions, giving regard to the actual and potential hazards then existing, including when: (a) approaching and crossing an intersection or railroad grade crossing; (b) approaching and going around a curve; (c) approaching a hill crest; (d) traveling upon any narrow or winding roadway; (e) special hazards exist due to pedestrians, other traffic, weather or road conditions. **(7)** Unless otherwise stated herein, even when no special hazard exists, an operator of an OHV will not travel at a speed in excess of the posted or applicable speed limit.

Grantsville City is planning a Clean-up and Recycling Day for June 6th. Grantsville citizens may drop off items at City Hall (429 E. Main St.), the City Yard (336 W. Main St.), or Hollywood Park (999 S. Quirk St.) on this day. We are still finalizing plans so look in next month's newsletter for more information and a list of items that will be accepted. We plan to have paper shredding of documents and e-waste recycling. We encourage everyone to participate and take advantage of this opportunity to make our City more beautiful.

Country Fan Fest would like to thank the residents of Grantsville for their support and for hosting their new event. To show their appreciation and gratitude, they are offering discount passes to all Grantsville residents. Visit their website at www.countryfanfest.com, where you will be able to see all the exciting events and activities that will take place over Utah's Pioneer Day weekend this July 24th-26th at Deseret Peak Complex. Use the promo code GrantsvilleRocks to receive a 25% discount on 3-Day GA passes.